

DR. WILLIAMS IS NAMED ON BOARD

Governor Lowden Selects Physician as Third Member of Body Handing Registrations.

SHERIFF AND CLERK OTHERS

All of Preliminaries in Connection with Listing Names for Service Almost Completed.

Colonel George H. Edmundson was yesterday selected by Adjutant General F. S. McMichael, Springfield, that Dr. A. E. Williams of this city had been named by Governor F. O. Lowden as the third member on the board of registration of Rock Island county which has supervision of the work of listing names on June 5 of all males between the ages of 21 and 30 for military service under the selective draft plan of the government.

The other two members of the board are Sheriff Edmundson, who is executive officer of the board, and County Clerk H. K. Hubbard. Under the new system it would take a sergeant and a sergeant major on the governor have charge of the registration in each county. They will take all of the preliminaries in connection with registration posts as soon as completed.

Names pointing to no one place have been sent to the governor, and the names of a few changes, and the same have been forwarded to the adjutant general, as required by law. The work of arranging the official records is now a harder task. An enrollment of volunteers has been made in some parts of the county, and it is necessary to make a record of them in order to take care of the premises where the registration is to be heavier.

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Because of the important character of the registration and the need for having full records in the shortest time possible it was deemed necessary by Sheriff Edmundson to be careful in his choice of registrars. He has been especially pleased at the hearty response of the public in offering its services for June 5, and says that the naming of names for war service could be handled with ease and dispatch because of the excellent material which has been procured.

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Miss Mary Martha Wiley in uniform.

Miss Mary Martha Wiley, daughter of Major Charles Chase Wiley of Pittsburgh, who last year attained the rank of lieutenant at the national service school of the women's section of the Navy League, and who is now attending a post-graduate course at the school at Washington, D. C., has been signally honored by being chosen as executive officer with headquarters in the Dewey Memorial building. Her studies will include telegraphing, map reading, wireless and history.

NEW FEATURE AT FAIR IS PLANNED

Special Attention to Boys' and Girls' Departments Will Be Paid at Annual Meet in Joslin.

TO HAVE AN EXHIBIT TEST

Palmer R. Edgerton and Mrs. Edgar Walther Selected as Superintendents of Divisions.

Special efforts are to be made that year by the Rock Island County Fair association to interest young people of the county in better livestock, farm products and home making. An announcement is made today that Palmer R. Edgerton, who for many years has been manager superintendent of the boys' department and Mrs. Edgar Walther, in charge of the girls' work at the fair at Joslin this fall, it is planned to have the young people exhibits housed in a special tent which will be given over entirely to them. Good premiums in all classes are assured, and they new venture can be made a decided success if young people will respond in the right way.

The following rules will govern the fair meeting contest:

Section A—Ages 10-14. Competitive feed and grain, 10 yards in length and 4 ft. wide. March 1, 1917.

Class 1—1st and 2nd place, \$10.

Class 2—1st place, \$5.

Class 3—1st place, \$2.

Awards will be made on the following basis:

Individually, 40 per cent average average daily gain, 20 per cent low cost of production, 20 per cent best kept, and 20 per cent best cost. Total, 100 per cent.

Section B—Ages 15-19. Feed and grain. Rules governing same as above.

End in your entry to Mr. Edgerton at once.

Premium List.

Following is a premium list of girl department. Open to any boy or girl in Rock Island county between ages of 10 and 18, who is enrolled in a 4-H club and has complied with the rules governing such clubs.

Class 1—Section A, ages 10-14. Feed and grain. First prize, \$10; second prize, \$5; third prize, \$2.

Class 2—Calfs to be spring calves and raised by boy or girl showing and entering same. First prize, \$5; second prize, \$2; third prize, \$1.

Class 3—General farm products exhibit. This class is open to boys and girls up to 18 years of age. The exhibit is to consist of farm products produced during the year 1917 and grown upon the farm operated by the

owner only with a woodman's axe.

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Assistant Police Chief Charles Rhodes of the East Moline department is informing fellow officers that he wants to devote the entire day to showing his potato patch and trees were pruned when a little later he sought to borrow a heavy axe. He explained, however, that after a few experiments with a hoe he had concluded that the weeds in his garden could be cleared out only with a woodman's axe.

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